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1. The Nationalist garrison in Hengyang* has capitulated to the Communists.

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2. As of 31 July the regular Nationalist military strength included thirty armies, five divisions and two cavalry brigades, totalling 800,000 troops. These units are intact.

3. There are also 35 armies, a total of 360,000 troops, in training which have been reorganized with the same designations from the original units destroyed by the Communists.

4. There are also ten armies, two divisions and six cavalry brigades, totalling 260,000 troops, which are characterized as "unreliable" because of the political affiliations of their present and past commanders.

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